

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

In the Specification

Please substitute the following amended paragraph(s) and/or section(s) (deleted matter is shown by strikethrough and added matter is shown by underlining):

Page 11, lines 15 and 16:

“The door may have an active wafer ~~regaining~~restraining means . . .”

Page 12, lines 3 and 4:

“In this embodiment the door has individual mechanism covers 203, 204, each having a periphery 203.1 and 204.1, respectively. Each cover 203, 204 is equipped with a multiplicity of through-slots 203.2, 204.2. Covers 203 and 204 are sized so that when mounted on door enclosure 164, gaps 203.3, 204.3 form between each cover periphery 203.1, 204.1 and housing 162. Slots 203.2, 204.2 and gaps 203.3, 204.3 allow the access and through-flow of fluid and gas media to facilitate the washing and drying of the latch mechanisms 200, 202 housed within compartments 190, 192.”